

House Resolution No. 4854

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to acknowledge milestone events in the lives of Show-Me State residents who have proven to be exemplary citizens in local communities and neighborhoods; and

Whereas, the members of the class of 1957 at Greenwood Lab School on the campus of Missouri State University will gather on October 13, 2007, to celebrate the Fiftieth Anniversary of their graduation; and

Whereas, known for their academic achievements as students, members of the Greenwood Lab School class of 1957 have attained distinction in the time that has elapsed since their graduation in a wide variety of fields, including medicine, engineering, education, the military, and business; and

Whereas, members of the Greenwood Lab School class of 1957 have further distinguished themselves as highly involved volunteers with school PTA's, elementary school classes, Scouting programs, churches, and hospice organizations; and

Whereas, the Greenwood Lab School was established in 1908 to give student teachers the opportunity to practice teaching under the supervision of experienced senior teachers on the campus of what was then known as the District Four Normal School in Springfield, Missouri; and

Whereas, the class of 1957 at Greenwood Lab School consisted of fifteen boys and fifteen girls in accordance with educational theory of the day related to optimum class size; and

Whereas, of the thirty students making up the class of 1957 at Greenwood Lab School, three have passed away and twenty-three remain the best of friends who have been together since kindergarten; and

Whereas, while the class of 1957 celebrates the Fiftieth Anniversary of its graduation, Greenwood Lab School is marking its one hundredth year in operation:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the personal and professional accomplishments garnered down through the years by the members of the class of 1957 at Greenwood Lab School at Missouri State University and to convey to all of those involved this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes as they celebrate the Fiftieth Anniversary of their high school graduation; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of the Greenwood Lab School class of 1957.

Offered by _____
Representative Sara Lampe
District No. 138

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 4854, adopted September 26, 2007.

Rod Jetton, Speaker